

CHAPTER 382.

AN ACT to enable the qualified voters of the First Precinct of the Fifth Election District of Anne Arundel county to determine by ballot whether spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters shall be sold therein, and to regulate the terms and conditions on which the sale thereof may be made, in case the majority of the voters of said First Precinct of said Fifth District shall determine said question in the affirmative, and to regulate the sale thereof; and also to revive the Public General Laws of this State relating to the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors to minors in said First Precinct of said Fifth District; also the Sunday and Election Laws of this State, which were in force at the date of the passage of the law known as the "Local Option Law of Anne Arundel County," passed at the January session eighteen hundred and eighty-two, in case the said vote shall be in favor of such sale.

PREAMBLE.

WHEREAS much doubt and uncertainty exist in the minds of a large portion of the voters of Anne Arundel county whether the law known as the "Local Option Law" of said county, passed at the session of the Legislature in eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter one hundred and twelve, produces beneficial results; and,

Preamble.

WHEREAS numerous petitions have been forwarded to this Legislature, signed by a large number of citizens and taxpayers residing in the First Precinct of the Fifth District of said county, who voted for the said law as well as against it, and it being deemed advisable on account of said uncertainty and doubt to re-

Preamble.